## **PATENT**

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Kozlowski, A. et al.

**APPLICATION No.: 10/751,274** 

FILED: December 31, 2003

FOR: HYDROLYTICALLY STABLE MALEIMIDE-

**TERMINATED POLYMERS** 

EXAMINER: Rabago, Roberto

**ART UNIT: 1713** 

CONF. No.: 7476

## PETITION FOR 2-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition for a 2-Month Extension of Time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action, extending the period for response to **March 11, 2007**.

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- Applicants petition for an additional Extension of Time if necessary for timely filing of this petition and enclosures.
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Respectfully submitted.

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